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SUBJ: TRIBAL FIGHTING IN SOUTHERN SUDAN

1. SUNA REPORTS SEPTEMBER 9 THAT FACT-FINDING COMMITTEE HAS
SUBMITTED REPORT TO SOUTHERN REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CHIEF
EXECUTIVE JOSEPH LAGU ON FIGHTING LAST AUGUST BETWEEN AGAR
AND ATWAT TRIBES. BOTH ARE DINKA TRIBES LIVING IN LAKEST
PROVINCE WHICH IS IN SOUTH CENTRAL PART OF SOUTHERN REGION.

2. COMMENT: SUNA ITEM IS FIRST WE HAVE HEARD OF INTER-
TRIBAL FIGHTING AMONG DINKA. DINKA-ARAB TRIBAL FIGHTING
OVER GRAZING LANDS IN NORTHERN PART OF SOUTHERN SUDAN FAIRLY
COMMON. LAKES PROVINCE FAR REMOVED FROM THIS REGION, HOWEVER
IN PAST, NUDANGOV HAS REPORTED TRIBAL FIGHTING IN EFFORT
CONTAIN RUMORS, AND PERHAPS THAT IS PURPOSE BEHIND SUNA ITEM.
EMBASSY CANNOT SAY WITHOUT MORE INFO WHETHER ATWAT-AGAR DINKA
TRIBAL FIGHTING IS OF ANY POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE.
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